

A 92.475 : Box 1-1 (11-28-62)

HATCHERY PRODUCTION



NOVEMBER 1962

Chick Production

Chick production by hatcheries during November totaled 190,553,000--up 16 percent from November 1961. Production of broiler chicks at 169,445,000 was up 19 percent from November last year. The cumulative hatch of broiler chicks January through November was 1,992,848,000--2 percent more than the 1,962,049,000 produced during this period in 1961. Eggs in incubators on December 1 indicate that the hatch of broiler chicks in December will be larger than in December 1961.

Egg-type chicks hatched in November totaled 21,108,000, slightly more than the 21,044,000 hatched in November 1961. The cumulative hatch for the 11 months of 1962 at 477,299,000, was down 5 percent from the corresponding period in 1961. Eggs in incubators on December 1 indicate that the egg-type hatch in December will be about the same as the hatch in December 1961.

Poult Production

Production of heavy breed poults during November totaled 1,019,000--down 42 percent from November 1961. Output of heavy white breeds, at 850,000 was 38 percent less than in November last year. Other heavy breeds hatched (mostly broad-breasted bronze) totaled 169,000, down 56 percent from November 1961. Production of light breed poults totaled 366,000--up 24 percent from November 1961.

Since the first of the year, the production of turkey poults totaled 95,726,000--down 16 percent from the comparable output in 1961. The cumulative hatch of heavy white breeds was 31,128,000--down 8 percent; other heavy breeds 55,325,000--down 18 percent; and light breeds 9,273,000--down 24 percent. Turkey eggs in incubators on December 1 indicate a much smaller hatch of heavy breeds in December than in December last year. The hatch of light breeds will be larger than the hatch in December last year.

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Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries

State and division	Broiler-type				Egg-type	
	November		Jan. through Nov.		November	
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	4,729	5,002	55,704	58,521	123	194
N.H.	861	1,020	11,335	12,075	168	220
Vt.	---	4	0	8	25	20
Mass. & R.I. 1/	454	764	10,690	8,596	480	554
Conn.	1,694	2,066	26,099	21,582	756	699
N.E.	7,738	8,856	103,828	100,782	1,552	1,647
N.Y.	424	160	6,873	3,575	972	950
N.J.	350	144	4,850	2,045	430	660
Pa.	3,881	3,966	48,749	45,307	914	1,183
M.A.	4,655	4,270	60,472	50,927	2,316	2,793
Ohio	1,070	950	13,320	13,100	640	720
Ind.	3,347	3,134	50,466	42,810	1,250	1,015
Ill.	265	181	6,681	4,304	666	656
Mich.	420	450	5,060	5,020	470	650
Wis.	809	700	13,935	11,458	156	136
E.N.C.	5,911	5,415	89,462	76,692	3,182	3,177
Minn.	905	1,069	9,995	11,482	195	292
Iowa	160	280	3,720	3,460	250	125
Mo.	4,551	4,318	68,419	53,932	92	96
N.Dak.	2/	2/	2/	2/	0	0
S.Dak.	2/	2/	2/	2/	74	0
Nebr.	19	11	1,578	1,269	48	11
Kans.	238	235	3,213	2,940	100	105
W.N.C.	2/ 5,873	2/ 5,913	2/ 87,506	2/ 73,350	759	629
Del.	5,618	6,512	66,405	68,067	3/	3/
Md.	8,891	11,348	114,820	120,245	38	94
Va.	4,949	4,814	68,125	67,271	286	284
W.Va.	397	279	7,652	4,563	3/	3/
N.C.	12,419	16,136	172,273	184,550	512	552
S.C.	1,564	1,689	21,864	20,462	291	264
Ga.	25,876	30,699	354,421	370,135	1,216	1,164
Fla.	1,518	1,670	17,373	18,470	1,005	1,015
S.A.	61,232	73,147	822,933	853,763	3/ 3,385	3/ 3,373
Ky.	305	350	8,730	4,955	85	200
Tenn.	2,900	3,400	38,820	39,940	200	250
Ala.	13,628	16,957	182,725	200,364	524	715
Miss.	9,563	11,764	130,530	134,984	610	700
E.S.C.	26,396	32,471	360,805	380,243	1,419	1,865
Ark.	14,489	17,405	192,657	209,208	424	591
La.	1,556	2,134	22,897	20,206	108	76
Okla.	330	353	5,910	6,651	86	140
Texas	7,561	11,407	118,046	126,488	1,365	942
W.S.C.	23,936	31,299	339,510	362,553	1,983	1,749
Idaho	361	307	4,519	3,958	47	94
Colo.	2	1	309	181	143	101
Utah	122	122	1,876	1,797	105	100
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	4/ 540	4/ 476	4/ 7,567	4/ 6,508	4/ 427	4/ 420
Wash.	940	1,152	14,314	13,977	745	638
Oreg.	935	829	14,466	12,531	195	133
Calif.	4,428	5,617	61,186	61,522	5,081	4,684
Pac.	6,303	7,598	89,966	88,030	6,021	5,455
U.S.	142,584	169,445	1,962,049	1,992,848	21,044	21,108

1/ Massachusetts and Rhode Island combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

2/ To avoid disclosing individual operations - West North Central total includes North and South Dakota.

3/ South Atlantic total includes Delaware and West Virginia.

4/ Mountain total includes Montana, Wyoming, New Mexico, and Arizona.

Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries

State and Division	Egg-type		Total			
	Jan. through Nov.		November		Jan. through Nov.	
	1961	1962	Average 1956-60: 1961	1962	1961	1962
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	2,896	3,028	4,389	4,852	5,156	58,600
N.H.	3,113	3,100	1,219	1,029	1,240	14,448
Vt.	472	404	19	25	24	472
Mass. & R.I. ^{1/}	10,016	9,772	1,667	934	1,318	20,706
Conn.	7,831	8,350	3,173	2,450	2,765	33,930
N.E.	24,328	24,654	10,467	9,290	10,503	128,156
N.Y.	15,062	14,110	1,187	1,396	1,110	21,935
N.J.	12,780	11,640	1,377	780	804	17,630
Pa.	26,561	28,249	4,509	4,795	5,149	75,310
M.A.	54,403	53,999	7,073	6,971	7,063	114,875
Ohio	22,550	23,570	1,572	1,710	1,670	35,870
Ind.	27,003	26,196	4,796	4,597	4,149	69,006
Ill.	23,812	22,299	1,102	931	837	30,493
Mich.	10,150	10,020	737	890	1,100	15,210
Wis.	10,304	8,764	1,332	965	836	24,239
E.N.C.	93,819	90,849	9,539	9,093	8,592	183,281
Minn.	31,005	27,056	316	1,100	1,361	41,000
Iowa	46,305	35,885	470	410	405	50,025
Mo.	19,647	14,189	4,258	4,643	4,414	88,066
N.Dak.	2,653	1,991	2/	2/	2/	2/
S.Dak.	12,238	10,525	2/	2/	2/	2/
Nebr.	16,865	13,801	133	67	22	18,443
Kans.	8,949	6,915	363	338	340	12,162
W.N.C.	137,662	110,362	2/5,540	2/6,632	2/6,542	2/225,168
Del.	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
Md.	1,463	1,587	7,174	8,929	11,442	116,283
Va.	5,565	6,323	5,468	5,235	5,098	73,690
W.Va.	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
N.C.	10,043	9,698	9,996	12,931	16,688	182,316
S.C.	5,271	5,487	1,771	1,855	1,953	27,135
Ga.	15,346	16,969	23,360	27,092	31,863	369,767
Fla.	11,956	13,269	2,299	2,523	2,685	29,329
S.A.	3/50,389	3/53,857	3/56,071	3/64,617	3/76,520	3/873,322
Ky.	3,320	3,125	1,126	390	550	12,050
Tenn.	7,910	6,630	2,972	3,100	3,650	46,730
Ala.	8,291	8,471	9,636	14,152	17,672	191,016
Miss.	5,605	7,606	6,993	10,173	12,464	136,135
E.S.C.	25,126	25,832	20,726	27,815	34,336	385,931
Ark.	6,486	6,441	9,507	14,913	17,996	199,143
Ia.	1,790	1,647	1,460	1,664	2,210	24,687
Okla.	4,213	3,856	531	416	493	10,123
Texas	23,514	20,857	8,937	8,926	12,349	141,560
W.S.C.	36,003	32,801	20,435	25,919	33,048	375,513
Idaho	1,715	1,611	207	408	401	6,234
Colo.	2,379	2,188	165	145	102	2,688
Utah	1,918	1,632	132	227	222	3,794
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mount.	4/8,861	4/8,424	4/654	4/967	4/896	4/16,428
Wash.	10,854	10,083	1,527	1,685	1,790	25,168
Oreg.	3,292	3,212	969	1,130	962	17,758
Calif.	59,986	63,226	8,098	9,509	10,301	121,172
Pac.	74,132	76,521	10,593	12,324	13,053	164,098
U.S.	504,723	477,299	141,098	163,628	190,553	2,466,772

^{1/} Massachusetts and Rhode Island combined to avoid disclosing individual operations.

^{2/} To avoid disclosing individual operations - West North Central total includes North and South Dakota.

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Baby chicks and turkey poults: Average prices paid to commercial hatcheries, November 1, 1962

State and division	Baby chicks, per 100			Turkey poults, each		
	Broiler	Egg-type pullets		Heavy breeds		Light
	breeds	Pure	Incross breeds	White	Other	breeds
	straight run	breeds	(hybrids)			
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.
Maine	1/12.5	32.0	---	---	---	---
N.H.	12.5	33.0	---	---	---	---
Vt.	---	32.5	---	---	---	---
Mass.	12.5	36.0	45.0	---	---	---
R.I.	12.5	33.0	---	---	---	---
Conn.	1/12.5	33.0	44.0	---	---	---
N.E.	12.5	34.4	44.5	---	---	---
N.Y.	12.0	37.0	54.5	---	---	---
N.J.	14.0	35.5	48.0	---	---	---
Pa.	1/12.5	36.0	48.0	---	---	---
M.A.	12.5	36.3	48.6	---	---	---
Ohio	11.0	39.0	56.0	65	---	50
Ind.	1/10.5	36.5	51.0	---	---	---
Ill.	1/13.0	40.5	55.0	---	---	---
Mich.	13.0	40.0	49.0	---	65	50
Wis.	13.0	39.0	53.0	52	---	---
E.N.C.	11.2	38.7	52.5	52.3	---	50.0
Minn.	12.0	40.0	52.0	1/50	---	1/40
Iowa	10.5	40.0	53.0	---	---	---
Mo.	1/9.4	33.0	53.0	---	---	1/45
Nebr.	16.0	34.0	51.0	---	---	---
Kans.	9.0	34.0	54.0	---	---	---
W.N.C.	9.9	37.0	52.7	---	---	40.2
Del.	1/12.0	---	---	---	---	---
Md.	1/12.0	40.0	55.0	---	---	---
Va. 1/	11.0	40.0	53.0	73	---	43
W.Va.	1/10.5	---	---	---	---	---
N.C.	1/10.5	35.0	51.0	65	60	---
S.C. 1/	11.0	35.5	---	75	65	---
Ga.	1/10.5	33.0	55.0	70	---	40
Fla.	1/11.5	38.0	48.0	---	---	45
S.A.	10.9	35.9	52.6	71.0	60.8	43.4
Ky.	10.0	32.0	51.0	---	---	---
Tenn.	11.0	35.0	47.0	---	---	---
Ala.	1/10.0	37.5	41.0	---	---	---
Miss.	1/ 9.8	35.0	43.0	---	---	---
E.S.C.	10.0	35.8	46.0	---	---	---
Ark.	1/10.0	36.5	46.0	---	---	---
La.	1/11.0	40.0	---	---	---	---
Okla.	12.0	32.0	50.0	---	---	---
Texas	1/10.5	33.0	48.0	1/55	1/60	---
W.S.C.	10.3	35.3	47.7	---	---	---
Mont.	---	38.0	46.0	---	---	---
Idaho	12.5	39.0	---	---	---	50
Colo.	16.0	38.0	55.0	---	---	---
Ariz.	18.0	39.0	47.0	---	---	---
Utah	12.0	40.0	50.0	---	---	---
Mount.	13.3	39.0	51.0	---	---	---
Wash. 1/	12.5	40.0	41.0	---	---	---
Oreg. 1/	13.5	35.5	38.5	---	---	---
Calif. 1/	13.0	34.5	49.5	65	65	---
Pac.	13.0	35.3	47.8	---	---	---
U.S.	10.8	36.1	49.9	54.8	61.0	43.3

1/ As of the 15th of the month.

Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1961	1962	Change from: last year	1961	1962	Change from last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Percent	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Percent
Broiler-type:							
January	169,826	173,009	+ 2	169,826	173,009	+ 3,183	+ 2
February	175,153	165,512	- 6	344,979	338,521	- 6,458	- 2
March	210,265	205,858	- 2	555,244	544,379	-10,865	- 2
April	216,035	205,140	- 5	771,279	749,519	-21,760	- 3
May	211,975	207,306	- 2	983,254	956,825	-26,429	- 3
June	197,072	189,424	- 4	1,180,326	1,146,249	-34,077	- 3
July	187,432	182,862	- 2	1,367,758	1,329,111	-38,647	- 3
August	170,190	170,112	--	1,537,948	1,499,223	-38,725	- 3
September	143,725	158,067	+ 10	1,681,673	1,657,290	-24,383	- 1
October	137,792	166,113	+ 21	1,819,465	1,823,403	+ 3,938	--
November	142,584	169,445	+ 19	1,962,049	1,992,848	+30,799	+ 2
December	156,455			2,118,504			
Egg-type:							
January	31,543	30,363	- 4	31,543	30,363	- 1,180	- 4
February	49,507	40,201	- 19	81,050	70,564	-10,486	-13
March	91,123	78,190	- 14	172,173	148,754	-23,419	-14
April	103,825	96,586	- 7	275,998	245,340	-30,658	-11
May	84,890	83,094	- 2	360,888	328,434	-32,454	- 9
June	34,505	37,558	+ 9	395,393	365,992	-29,401	- 7
July	21,297	23,522	+ 10	416,690	389,514	-27,176	- 7
August	20,594	21,116	+ 3	437,284	410,630	-26,654	- 6
September	22,033	21,426	- 3	459,317	432,056	-27,261	- 6
October	24,362	24,135	- 1	483,679	456,191	-27,488	- 6
November	21,044	21,108	--	504,723	477,299	-27,424	- 5
December	20,287			525,010			
Total chicks:							
January	201,369	203,372	+ 1	201,369	203,372	+ 2,003	+ 1
February	224,660	205,713	- 8	426,029	409,085	-16,944	- 4
March	301,388	284,048	- 6	727,417	693,133	-34,284	- 5
April	319,860	301,726	- 6	1,047,277	994,859	-52,418	- 5
May	296,865	290,400	- 2	1,344,142	1,285,259	-58,883	- 4
June	231,577	226,982	- 2	1,575,719	1,512,241	-63,478	- 4
July	208,729	206,384	- 1	1,784,448	1,718,625	-65,823	- 4
August	190,784	191,228	--	1,975,232	1,909,853	-65,379	- 3
September	165,758	179,493	+ 8	2,140,990	2,089,346	-51,644	- 2
October	162,154	190,248	+ 17	2,303,144	2,279,594	-23,550	- 1
November	163,628	190,553	+ 16	2,466,772	2,470,147	+ 3,375	--
December	176,742			2,643,514			

Chicken eggs in incubators December 1, 1962

Geographic divisions	Percent change from December 1, 1961		
	Broiler-type	Egg-type	Total Eggs
New England	+ 7	-14	+ 4
Middle Atlantic	---	- 5	- 2
East North Central	-19	+33	- 3
West North Central	-12	+20	- 8
South Atlantic	+ 9	+ 6	+ 9
East South Central	+12	+14	+12
West South Central	+21	-24	+19
Mountain	- 4	-16	- 9
Pacific	-21	- 7	+ 8
United States	+10	+ 1	+ 9

Poult hatched and turkey eggs in incubators

Geographic divisions	White heavy breeds 1/		Other heavy breeds 1/		Total heavy breeds 1/		Light breeds 1/	
	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962	1961	1962
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Poult hatched during November								
New England	16	0	0	0	16	0	3	0
Middle Atlantic	18	0	2	1	20	1	5	0
East North Central	141	245	2	5	143	250	50	89
West North Central	654	385	0	0	654	385	153	160
South Atlantic	81	142	109	131	190	273	53	108
South Central	45	14	61	25	106	39	1	0
West	412	64	210	7	622	71	30	9
United States	1,367	850	384	169	1,751	1,019	295	366
Turkey eggs in incubators December 1								
New England	12	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Middle Atlantic	7	0	4	3	11	3	2	12
East North Central	436	346	10	10	446	356	103	78
West North Central	1,298	671	14	0	1,312	671	165	284
South Atlantic	206	251	190	145	396	396	106	247
South Central	110	57	184	0	294	57	0	0
West	864	212	529	405	1,393	617	91	96
United States	2,933	1,537	931	563	3,864	2,100	467	717

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Poults hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1961	1962	Change from: last year	1961	1962	Change from last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.
Heavy white breeds 1/							
January	2,284	1,974	-- 14	2,284	1,974	- 310	- 14
February	2,663	2,009	- 25	4,947	3,983	- 964	- 19
March	4,735	3,969	- 16	9,683	7,952	- 1,731	- 18
April	5,114	5,235	+ 2	14,797	13,187	- 1,610	- 11
May	5,783	6,308	+ 9	20,580	19,495	- 1,085	- 5
June	4,949	4,618	- 7	25,529	24,113	- 1,416	- 6
July	3,073	2,844	- 7	28,602	26,957	- 1,645	- 6
August	1,711	1,543	- 10	30,313	28,500	- 1,813	- 6
September	1,016	937	- 8	31,329	29,437	- 1,892	- 6
October	1,125	841	- 25	32,454	30,278	- 2,176	- 7
November	1,367	850	- 38	33,821	31,128	- 2,693	- 8
December	1,827			35,648			
Other heavy breeds 1/							
January	3,149	1,171	- 63	3,149	1,171	- 1,978	- 63
February	7,005	3,409	- 51	10,154	4,580	- 5,574	- 55
March	13,270	9,792	- 26	23,424	14,372	- 9,052	- 39
April	15,405	13,906	- 10	38,829	28,278	- 10,551	- 27
May	15,004	14,168	- 6	53,833	42,446	- 11,387	- 21
June	9,482	8,976	- 5	63,315	51,422	- 11,893	- 19
July	2,955	3,140	+ 6	66,270	54,562	- 11,708	- 18
August	313	343	+ 10	66,583	54,905	- 11,678	- 18
September	228	113	- 50	66,811	55,018	- 11,793	- 18
October	256	138	- 46	67,067	55,156	- 11,911	- 18
November	384	169	- 56	67,451	55,325	- 12,126	- 18
December	578			68,029			
Total all heavy breeds 1/							
January	5,433	3,145	- 42	5,433	3,145	- 2,288	- 42
February	9,668	5,418	- 44	15,101	8,563	- 6,538	- 43
March	18,006	13,761	- 24	33,107	22,324	- 10,783	- 33
April	20,519	19,141	- 7	53,626	41,465	- 12,161	- 23
May	20,787	20,476	- 1	74,413	61,941	- 12,472	- 17
June	14,431	13,594	- 6	88,844	75,535	- 13,309	- 15
July	6,028	5,984	- 1	94,872	81,519	- 13,353	- 14
August	2,024	1,886	- 7	96,896	83,405	- 13,491	- 14
September	1,244	1,050	- 16	98,140	84,455	- 13,685	- 14
October	1,381	979	- 29	99,521	85,434	- 14,087	- 14
November	1,751	1,019	- 43	101,272	86,453	- 14,819	- 15
December	2,405			103,677			

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Growth Through Agricultural Progress

Poults hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States							
Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1961	1962	Change from last year	1961	1962	Change from last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.
<u>Light breeds 1/</u>							
January	955	370	- 61	955	370	- 585	- 61
February	836	519	- 38	1,791	889	- 902	- 50
March	1,093	732	- 33	2,884	1,621	- 1,263	- 44
April	1,602	909	- 43	4,486	2,530	- 1,956	- 44
May	2,057	1,459	- 29	6,543	3,989	- 2,554	- 39
June	1,949	1,544	- 21	8,492	5,533	- 2,959	- 35
July	1,795	1,489	- 17	10,287	7,022	- 3,265	- 32
August	996	1,053	+ 6	11,283	8,075	- 3,208	- 28
September	385	459	+ 19	11,668	8,534	- 3,134	- 27
October	306	373	+ 22	11,974	8,907	- 3,067	- 26
November	295	366	+ 24	12,269	9,273	- 2,996	- 24
December	319			12,588			
Total all breeds 1/							
January	6,388	3,515	- 45	6,388	3,515	- 2,873	- 45
February	10,504	5,937	- 43	16,892	9,452	- 7,440	- 44
March	19,099	14,493	- 24	35,991	23,945	- 12,046	- 33
April	22,121	20,050	- 9	58,112	43,995	- 14,117	- 24
May	22,844	21,935	- 4	80,956	65,930	- 15,026	- 19
June	16,380	15,138	- 8	97,336	81,068	- 16,268	- 17
July	7,823	7,873	- 4	105,159	88,541	- 16,618	- 16
August	3,020	2,939	- 3	108,179	91,480	- 16,699	- 15
September	1,629	1,509	- 7	109,808	92,989	- 16,819	- 15
October	1,687	1,352	- 20	111,495	94,341	- 17,154	- 15
November	2,046	1,385	- 32	113,541	95,726	- 17,815	- 16
December	2,724			116,265			

1/ Heavy white breeds include heavy white-feathered breeds, such as Broad white, white Holland, Empire white, Lancaster, and crosses with light white breeds. All other heavy breeds are reported under "other". Light breeds include Beltsville, Jersey Buff, Royal Palm and wild turkeys.